\$ 2731 9666 Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box -> + PTO/SB/21 (08-00 Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Application Number 09/772,344 TRANSMITTAL **Filing Date** January 29, 2001 RICHARD ZODNIK **FORM First Named Inventor** Group Art Unit (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing) 2131 **Examiner Name** Unknown Total Number of Pages in This Submission Attorney Docket Number | 155681-0007 (P003) **ENCLOSURES** (check all that apply) Assignment Papers (for an Application) After Allowance Communication X Fee Transmittal Form to Group Appeal Communication to Board Fee Attached Drawing(s) of Appeals and Interferences Appeal Communication to Group Licensing-related Papers Amendment / Reply (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) Petition After Final Proprietary Information Petition to Convert to a Affidavits/declaration(s) Provisional Application Status Letter Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address Other Enclosure(s) (please **Extension of Time Request** identify below): **Terminal Disclaimer** PTO/SB/08A (Modified), 4 **Express Abandonment Request** References Request for Refund Information Disclosure Statement CD, Number of CD(s) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Remarks Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT Firm Babak Redjaian, Reg. No. 42,096 **IRELL & MANELLA LLP** Individual name Signature Bahak K Date October 23, 2001

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on this date:

Typed or printed name

Lynda P. Myrray,

Signature

Date October 23, 2001

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to ake 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chlef Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to

PTO/SB/17 (10-01)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB central supplementation.

for FY 2002

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

(\$) O

espond to a confection of time	rmation unless it displays a va	III OMB CIII	noi number.
Complete if Known			2
Application Number	09/772,344	Q_{n}	
Filing Date	January 29, 200%	-56°	
First Named Inventor	RICHARD ZODNIK	0/0	5
Examiner Name	Unknown	9yC	COD.
Group Art Unit	2131	ONE	
Attorney Docket No.	155681-0007 (P003))	260

METHOD OF PAYMENT FEE CALCULATION (continued)				
1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:	3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
Deposit [Large Small			
Account 09-0946	Entity Entity Fee	Paid		
Deposit	Code (\$) Code (\$)			
Account Name Irell & Manella LLP	105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17	127 50 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
Applicant claims small entity status.	139 130 139 130 Non-English specification			
See 37 CFR 1.27	147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
2. Payment Enclosed: Check Credit card Money Other	112 920* 112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
FEE CALCULATION	113 1,840* 113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
1. BASIC FILING FEE	115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month			
Large Entity Small Entity	116 400 216 200 Extension for reply within second month	-		
Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid	117 920 217 460 Extension for reply within third month			
101 740 201 370 Utility filing fee	118 1,440 218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month	-		
106 330 206 165 Design filing fee	128 1,960 228 980 Extension for reply within fifth month			
107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee	119 320 219 160 Notice of Appeal			
108 740 208 370 Reissue filing fee	120 320 220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
114 160 214 80 Provisional filing fee	121 280 221 140 Request for oral hearing			
0112707AL (4) (10) 0	138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0	140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Fee from	141 1,280 241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional			
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	142 1,280 242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Total Claims20** = X =	143 460 243 230 Design issue fee			
Claims -3 -	144 620 244 310 Plant issue fee			
Multiple Dependent	122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	\dashv		
Large Entity Consult Frank.	123 50 123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	126 180 126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	\longrightarrow		
Code (\$) Code (\$) 103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20	581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	146 740 246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 109 84 209 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	149 740 249 370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20	179 740 279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
and over original patent	169 900 169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application			
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0	Other fee (specify)			
**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above	*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 0			

SUBMITTED BY			Complete (if applicable)		
Name (Print/Type)	Babak Redjaian	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	42,096	Telephone	(949) 760-0991
Signature	Balak ledj		Date	October 23, 2001	

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.







e Application of:

RICHARD ZODNIK

Application No.: 09/772,344

Filed: January 29, 2001

For:

PORTABLE COMPUTER THAT CAN

BE PLUGGED INTO A BACKPLANE

Examiner: Unknown

Art Group: 2131

TECHNOLOGY CONTROL TRANSPORT

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231-9999

Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97-1.98, Applicant submits the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08A (Modified), along with copies of the documents listed therein.

It is hereby stated that this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing of an Office Action. Applicant does not believe that a fee is required. However, if any fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0946. An extra copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for Deposit Account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

IRELL & MANELLA LLP

Dated: October 23, 2001

840 Newport Center Drive, Suite 400

Newport Beach, CA 92660

(949) 760-0991

Babak Rediaian

Reg. No. 42,096

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on:

10/23/2001

Date

Atty. Docket No.: 155681-0007 (P003)

- 1 -

Information Disclosure Statement

Form PTO/SB/08A (Modified	• •					
rogių Pi O/SB/JoA (Modified		DIC	VED	IOOA I	/ B. A	:6:
	гоии	FIL	<i>11</i> 3 0 1	UOA	INIOG	mea
	-					

NFORMATION	I DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT E	BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet	1	of	1

Complete if known					
Application Number	09/772,344				
Filing Date	January 29, 2001				
First Named Inventor	RICHARD ZODNIK				
Group Art Unit	2131				
Examiner Name	Unknown & &				
Attorney Docket Number	155681-0007 (P003)				

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Examiner Cite U.S. Patent Document Name of Patentee or		Cite	U.S. Patent Document		Date of Publication	Pages, Columns,		
Initials	No.	Number	Kind Code	Applicant of Cited Document	of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear			
	1.	6,128,186	İ	Feierbach	10-03-2000				
	2.	5,986,634		Alioshin et al.	11-16-1999	-			
	3.	6,184,804		Harrison	02-06-2001				
	4.	5,108,063		Koerber, Sr. et al.	04-28-1992				

Examiner:	Date Considered:	_		

Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.